

# PUBLIC NOTICE

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#### MASS MEDIA BUREAU MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE APPLICATIONS

Report No. D-1019

December 16, 1998

By the Chief, Mass Media Bureau:

IN RE: APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING

The applications listed herein, upon initial review, appear to be complete and have been accepted for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return or dismiss any of these applications, if upon further examination, it is determined they are defective or not in substantial compliance with Commission Rules. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.20 and 21.26.

Final action will not be taken on any of these applications until the expiration of a period of 30 days following the date of this notice, except for microwave radio applications not requiring a 30-day notice period (see Section 309(c) of the Communications Act), or as otherwise noted. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 1.4 and 21.27. Unless specified to the contrary, comments or petitions may be filed concerning these applications within 30 days of the date of this notice, with the limited exception under 47 C.F.R. Section 21.902(i). See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.30 and 21.902(i).

With regard to mutual exclusivity of these Multipoint Distribution Service applications, see 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.31. and 21.914. With limited exceptions, an application which is subsequently amended by a major change will be considered as a newly filed application for purposes of the "cut-off" rule. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.23 and 21.31.

For information on other microwave facilities, refer to Public Notices released by the Wireless Bureau.

#### <u>AIR HAZARDS CAUSED BY IMPROPERLY MARKED</u> & LIGHTED COMMUNICATIONS TOWERS

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has received reports of aircraft collisions with unlighted or improperly lighted communications towers. Accident reports and studies reveal that radio tower owners and FCC licensees need to be more aware of the need for conformance to FCC issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications.

When radio towers are greater than 200 feet in height and/or near an airport, the owner or licensee must apply for <u>FCC</u> issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications. During construction, temporary warning lights must be installed at the top of the structure, and at each level where permanent lights will be installed.

Licensees should insure that their towers are marked and lighted in accordance with the specifications on their permits. Daily inspections must be made to ensure that the lights are on and operating properly. Any variances must be approved by the FCC's Antenna Survey Branch (ASB).

If a light outage occurs which cannot be corrected within thirty minutes, the local FAA Flight Service Station (FSS) must be contacted immediately. The FSS will issue a warning to pilots. The FSS must also be notified when the lights are again operational so the warning may be rescinded.

The FCC intends to continue its close scrutiny of radio towers. Appropriate action, including issuance of fines and/or revocation of the station license, will be taken against the user or owner of any unauthorized or improperly marked radio tower.

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#### **New Station and Modification Application Accepted for Filing**

ARN	Non- Common Carrier	Latitude	Longitude	Ground Elev	вта	Channel	Center of Rad.	Market Name	Winning Bidder	New Name (If Applicable)	Call Sign
BMDP981113RT	X	381303	975939	517.2	B200	1	103.6	Hutchinson, KS	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.	
BMDMP981113RU	X	381303	975939	517.2	B200	2A	103.6	Hutchinson, KS	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.	KNSC642
BMDP981110RV	Х	344331	964214	332.2	B004	2A	121.9	Ada, OK	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.	
BMDP981113RW	Х	362320	992036	630.94	B329	1	148.44	Oklahoma City, OK	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.	
BMDP981113RX	Х	362320	992036	630.94	B329	2A	148.44	Oklahoma City, OK	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.	

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MAJOR AMENDMENTS TO APPLICATIONS:

FILE NUMBER APPLICANT

CHANNEL

PRIMARY SERVICE AREA

51505-CM-P-95 BELLSOUTH WIRELESS CABLE, INC.

(E group)

JACKSONVILLE, FL

CONDITIONAL LICENSE

Lat. 30 16 51 N. - Long. 081 34 12 W. HOGAN COUNTY ROAD, JACKSONVILLE, FL Call Sign WHT675

Antenna C/L 600 FT. (182.88 meters) non-common carrier status.

Antenna Change, Change Polarization, Increase Power

### **Certification of Completion of Constructions Submitted for Filing**

ARN	Non- Common Carrier	Latitude	Longitude	Ground Elev	вта	Channel	Center of Rad.	Market Name	Winning Bidder	(If Applicable)	Call Sign
BMDL981118RY	Х	444613	854143	320	B446	H3	99	Traverse City, MI	Grand Wireless Co.	Grand Wireless Company, Inc.	KNSC997
BMDL981130SA	Х	340402	842723	515.1	B024	E	57.9	Atlanta, GA	CAI Wireless Systems, Inc.	BellSouth Wireless Cable, Inc.	KNSC947
BMDL981130SB	X	340402	842723	515.1	B024	F	57.9	Atlanta, GA	CAI Wireless Systems, Inc.	BellSouth Wireless Cable, Inc.	KNSC956
BMDL981130SC	Х	334819	840840	506.3	B024	H2	9.1	Atlanta, GA	CAI Wireless Systems, Inc.	BellSouth Wireless Cable, Inc.	KNSC963
BMDL981130SD	X	332922	843407	292.6	B024	H3	152.4	Atlanta, GA	CAI Wireless Systems, Inc.	BellSouth Wireless Cable, Inc.	KNSC954

# MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE: (SINGLE & MULTICHANNEL)

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CERTIFICATIONS OF COMPLETION OF CONTRUCTION (FCC FORM 494A) SUBMITTED FOR FILING: 1/

DATE ST FILED	FILE NUMBER	CONDITIONAL LICENSEE	PRIMARY SERV. AREA CITY, ST	FILE NUMBER CONDITIONAL LICENSE (FCC FORM 494)	CALL SIGN
TX 12-01-98	50090-CM-L-99	THOMAS H SCHNITZIUS	CORPUS CHRISTI, TX		WNTB468 H hannel(s) H2
GA 11-30-98	50091-CM-L-99	VIA/NET COMPANIES	ATLANTA, GA	50306-CM-MP-97 Cl	WHJ940 H hannel(s) H2
GA 11-30-98	50093-CM-ML-99	VIDCOMM, INC.	ATLANTA, GA	50309-CM-P-97	WNTA434 H hannel(s) H1
GA 11-30-98	50094-CM-ML-99	VIDCOMM, INC.	ATLANTA, GA	50308-CM-P-97	WNTB872 H hannel(s) H3
GA 11-30-98	50095-CM-ML-99	VIDCOMM, INC.	ATLANTA, GA	50305-CM-P-97	WHT663 E

<sup>1/</sup> For filing procedures see Public Notice, No. 1266 issued January 15, 1988, DA 87-1696.

(Commercial Instructional Television Fixed Service)

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### Certifications of Completion of Construction (FCC Form 304A) submitted for filing:

ST 	Date Filed	File Number	Conditional Licensee	Primary Serv. Area City, State	File Number Conditional License (FCC Form 304)	Call Sign	Channel(s)
NE	12-14-95	CIL-96-50256	USA Wireless II, Inc.	Scottsbluff, NE	CIP-92-00168	WMX685	B Group
NE	11-07-95	CIL-96-51558	USA Wireless II, Inc.	Scottsbluff, NE	CIP-92-00228	WMX717	A Group

#### APPLICATION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF AUTHORIZATION ACCEPTED FOR FILING:

Upon initial review, the following assignment application has been accepted for filing. The Commission, however, reserves the right to return this application if, upon further examination, it is determined that the application is defective or not in conformance with the

Commission's Rules and requirements. Final action will not be taken on this application earlier than 31 days following the date of this notice.

Copies of the application are available for inspection in Room 207 at 2033 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554. For further information, contact Stephen Svab at (202) 418-7069.

BMDAL981022SP. Application for authority to assign the authorization for the Kalispell, Montana BTA (B224) and stations KNSC466, KNSC477, KNSC229, KNSC230, and KNSC231 at Kalispell, Montana from USA WIRELESS II, INC. to CS WIRELESS SYSTEMS, INC.

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APPLICATIONS FOR TRANSFER OF CONTROL OR ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSE ACCEPTED FOR FILING:

50089-CM-AL-99 (WNTH468) BRETT MEYER

Application for authority to assign all authorizations for station WNTH468 in MAUI, HI

FROM: BRETT MEYER TO: AMERICAN TELECASTING OF HAWAII, INC. has been found,

upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return this application, if, upon further examination, it finds the application is not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and policies.

Channel Group: H Channels: H1